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TO AMEMBASSY LAGOS IMMEDIATE
INFO AMEMBASSY ABIDJAN

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: OEXC, SCUL, NI

SUBJECT: ARTHUR ASHE REQUEST FOR APPOINTMENT

REF: LAGOS 3346

1. INFORMATION CONTAINED REFTEL RELAYED TO ABC SPORTS (TERENCE ONEIL) ON RECEIPT MARCH 24 BEFORE BEING SEEN BY AMBASSADOR EASUM AS HE PURSUING APPOINTMENTS OUTSIDE DEPARTMENT FOR MOST OF DAY. ABC VERY APPRECIATIVE FOR EMBASSY ASSISTANCE. NEITHER ONEIL NOR ASHE HAS AS YET RECEIVED REPLY FROM ORDIA.

2. ACCORDING ABC, IMPERATIVE ASHE INTERVIEW ORDIA ASAP BECAUSE BROADCAST SCHEDULED MID-APRIL. ACCORDINGLY, ABC PLANS CABLE ORDIA IMMEDIATELY TO REQUEST HE DELAY DEPARTURE FROM LAGOS UNTIL ASHE CAN INTERVIEW HIM THERE ON MARCH 28. IF ORDIA CANNOT POSTPONE TRIP TO ABIDJAN, ABC WILL PROPOSE THAT ASHE MEET HIM THERE ON OR ABOUT MARCH 28. IN THIS EVENT, ASHE WILL VISIT ABIDJAN AND NOT RPT NOT
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3. FOR ABIDJAN: REFTEL BEING REPEATED TO YOU. IF ASHE VISITS ABIDJAN, ONLY PURPOSE WOULD BE TO INTERVIEW ORDIA, AND ABC EXPECTS HE WOULD RETURN TO US AS SOON AS INTERVIEW COMPLETED.
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